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Hongkong, 4th December, 1907. [a44]

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Hongkong, 5th October, 1908. [a45]

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Swatow, 1st April, 1909. [a552]

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Hongkong, 15th May, 1909.

FROM EUROPE.

THE H.A.L. Steamship

"SILVIA"

Captain Portzellan, having arrived Consignees

of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their

Bills of Lading for countersignature by the

Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of

their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before TO-DAY.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be

landed at Consignees risk into the hazardous

and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hong-

kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd.,

and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

All Claims must be presented within ten days

of the steamer's arrival here, after which date

they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining

undelivered after the 21st inst., will be subject

to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are

to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

examined on the 20th inst. at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.

Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 14th May, 1909.

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An Abduction Charge.

A Valuable Find.

Supreme Court.

Ill-fitted Opium.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENT

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBOUGH, ANTWERP,

LONDON, COLOMBO AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship

"BINGO MARU"

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees

of cargo are hereby informed that their

Goods are being landed and placed at their

disposal in the Hongkong and Kowloon, where

each consignment will be sorted out mark by

mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as

the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be carried on unless

instructions are given to the contrary before

NOON, TO-DAY.

Goods not cleared by the 20th inst., will be

subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Damaged packages must be left in the

Godowns for examination by the Consignees

and the Co.'s representatives at an appointed

hour. All claims must be presented within ten

days of the steamer's arrival here, after which

date they cannot be recognised. No claims will

be admitted after the goods have left the

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NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1909.

PUBLIC COMPANY

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE SHARE CERTIFICATE, No. 2915,

for Ten Shares numbered 19141/19150

inclusive, fully paid up, standing in the

Register in the name of AUGUSTE PERRE

MARX, deceased, having been LOST, Notice

is hereby given that unless the said Certificate

be produced at the Office of the Company,

Queen's Building, Victoria, Hongkong, before

the 27th May, 1909, a new Certificate for the

said shares will be issued and the old Certificate

will, thereafter be held by the Company as

null and void.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

GEO. A. CALDWELL,

Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 28th April, 1909.

INTIMATION

THE CHINA-BORNEO CO., LTD.

NOTICE

DURING my Absence at any time from

the Colony Mr. WILLIAM DENYS

JUPP will act as Manager at Hongkong of

the above named Company.

W. G. DARBY,

General Manager.

Hongkong, 10th May, 1909.

NOTICE

THE MANAGER OF KENNEDY'S

STABLE begs to inform the residents of

KOWLOON and district that provided sufficient

proof be forthcoming he will be prepared to

establish a SHOEING FORGE at KOW-

LOON where Horses and Ponies can be shod

by experienced Shanghai farriers on stated days

to be arranged later.

Insurance at expense will be incurred in

hiring suitable premises and in fitting up the

forge the Manager hopes that the Scheme will

have general support.

Those desirous of availing themselves of the

above are requested to send in their names and

number of Horses and Ponies to the Under-

signed.

G. W. GEGG,

Manager,

Kennedy's Stables.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1909.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE

THOMAS BROCKETT, Focchoo,

China, Storekeeper.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all

persons having Claims against the above

Estate are required to send particulars of same

to the undersigned before the 15th Day of

MAY, 1909. And all persons indebted to the

said Estate are required to make immediate

payment to me.

F. W. SHAW,

Attorney for the Executor.

Focchoo, 15th March, 1909.

NOTICE

WEISMANN, LIMITED.

OUR BUSINESS HAS BEEN REMOVED

to No. 14, DES VEXUR ROAD CENTRAL.

(Late occupied by Madame Jay).

Hongkong, 28th April, 1909.

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ON TUESDAY, the 11th May, Robinson

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2 Black Spots, answering to the name of

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Prince's Building, 2nd floor.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1909.

LOST

ON the morning of 12th inst., near Douglas

Pier, BLACK SPANIEL BITCH

answering to the name of BIDDY. Anyone

found in possession of same after this Notice

will be presented. Anyone returning the Dog

to Mr. H. SETH, NORMAN COTTAGE, PEAK

Road, will be rewarded.

Hongkong, 14th May, 1909.

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A YOUNG SWISS LADY seeks

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Hongkong, 7th May, 1909.

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Hongkong, 24th April, 1909.

AUCTIONS

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THE SALE OF OLD CHINESE CURIOS, advertised to take place TO-DAY (SATURDAY), by the undersigned at their Sale Rooms in 100 House Street is POSTPONED and a quantity of BLACKWOOD FURNITURE, one PORCELAIN INLAID BLACKWOOD SCREEN, a few SILVER CRUETS, SILVER BOWLS, &c., one APOLLO PIANO-PLAYER with Selections and a few pieces of OLD CHINESE PORCELAIN, one SECTIONAL CASE containing Plans of Hongkong, Kowloon, &c., and a quantity of VALUABLE BOOKS will be Sold by Public Auction in its place. (Particulars from Catalogue)

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HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 14th May, 1909.

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Hongkong, 13th May, 1909.

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Hongkong, 11th May, 1909.

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Hongkong, 5th May, 1909.

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Hongkong, 8th May, 1909.

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Hongkong, 1st May, 1909.

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Hongkong, 3rd March, 1909.

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BENJOMOND, British str., 1735, P. Sut' and 15th May—London via Singapore 7th May, General—Gibb, Livingstone & Co.		
BINGO MARU, Japanese str., 3375, A. Christensen, 12th May—Singapore 7th May, General—Nippon Yusen Kaisha.		
CAPRI, Italian str., 2690, Polone, 6th May—Singapore 30th April, General—Carlowitz & Co.		
CHIPSING, British str., 1199, F. Mooney, 12th May—Tientsin, Chefoo & Wei-hai-wai 5th May, General—Jardine, Matheson, & Co.		
CHUYEN, Chinese str., 1177, C. Stewart, 15th May—Shanghai 8th and Swatow 10th May, General—C. M. S. N. Co.		
CHOISING, German str., 1021, J. Bruhn, 10th May—Bangkok 30th April, Rice and Wood—Butterfield & Swire.		
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DALIN MARU, Japanese str., 980, F. Kaburaki, 12th May—Tamsui, Amoy & Swatow 11th May, General—Osaka Shosen Kaisha.		
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MOYORI MARU, Jap. str., 3700, L. P. Richards, 27th April—Bombay and Singapore 20th April, General—Nippon Yusen Kaisha.		
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SCANDIA, German str., 8089, V. Duvron, 29th April—Singapore 21st April, General—Hamburg-Amerika Linie.		
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WINGSANG, British str., 1517, J. Smith, 10th May—Wuhu 5th May, Rice—Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
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The GERMANY MAIL.

The I.G.M. str. *Laetitia* carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 21st instant, left Colombo on the 8th instant p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 19th instant.

The AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The I.G.M. str. *Prinz Waldemar* left Sydney on Thursday, the 6th instant at 4 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 28th inst.

The INDIAN MAIL.

The Indo-China str. *Kulsang* from Calcutta and the Straits left Singapore for this port on the 11th instant.

The CANADIAN MAIL.

The C.P.R. str. *Empress of China* arrived Nagasaki at 9.30 a.m. on the 13th instant, and left again at 4 p.m. same day for Kobe where she is due to arrive at 8 p.m. on the 14th inst.

The C.N. Co.'s str. *Singapore* left Haiphong on the 9th inst., and is due here to-day.

The C.N. Co.'s str. *Kueichow* left Tientsin on the 6th instant, and may be expected here to-day.

The H.A. Line str. *Silvia* left Singapore on the 8th instant p.m., and may be expected here to-day p.m.

The N.Y.K. str. *Kaga Maru* (America Line) left Shanghai on the 13th instant, and is expected here to-morrow a.m.

The P. & O. str. *Namur* left Singapore for this port on the 11th instant at 5.30 p.m., and is due here to-morrow at about 4 p.m.

The P. & O. str. *Socotra* left Singapore for this port on the 11th instant at 5.30 p.m., and is due here to-morrow at about 5 p.m.

The str. *Saint Patrick* is due at Hongkong from New York on Sunday next.

The E. & A. str. *Empire* left Sydney on the 11th inst., for this port (via Queensland Ports and Manila).

The Swedish str. *Nippon* left Singapore on the 12th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 18th inst.

The Austrian Lloyd's str. *E. F. Ferdinand* left Singapore for this port on the 12th instant, and is due here on the 18th inst.

The N.Y.K. str. *Tokuzaki Maru* (Bombay Line) left Bombay for this port via Singapore on the 7th instant, and is expected here on the 25th instant.

The C.N. Co.'s str. *Changsha* will leave Sydney on the 15th inst., and is due here on the 9th prox.

COMMERCIAL.

EXCHANGE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

May 14th.

ON LONDON—

Telegraphic Transfer 1/9 1/2

Bank Bills, on demand 1/9 1/2

Bank Bills, at 30 days sight 1/9 1/2

Bank Bills, at 4 months sight 1/9 1/2

Credit, at 4 months sight 1/9 1/2

Documentary Bills at 4 months sight 1/9 1/2

ON PARIS—

Bank Bills, on demand 226

Credit, at 4 months sight 230

ON GERMANY—

On demand 183 1/2

ON NEW YORK—

Bank Bills, on demand 43 1/2

Credit, at 60 days sight 44 1/2

ON BOMBAY—

Telegraphic Transfer 154 1/2

Bank, on demand 135

ON CALCUTTA—

Telegraphic Transfer 154 1/2

Bank, on demand 135

ON SHANGHAI—

Bank, at sight 74 1/2

Private, 30 days sight 75 1/2

ON YOKOHAMA—

On demand 77 1/2

ON MANILA—

On demand 107 1/2

ON BATAVIA—

On demand 107 1/2

ON SINGAPORE—

On demand 107 1/2

ON BANGKOK—

On demand 107 1/2

ON SOERABAYA—

On demand 107 1/2

ON GOLD LEAF—

100 fine, per tael 858

ON SILVER—

per 100 24 1/2

SUBSIDIARY COINS.

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Chinese 20 cents pieces 74.00 discount.

Chinese 10 " 74.00

Hongkong 20 " 74.00

Hongkong 10 " 74.00

OPIUM.

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Quotations 11,070/1,090 per picul.

Malwa New 11,100/1,120

Malwa Old 11,150/1,150

Malwa V.O. 11,150/1,150

Persian fine quality 11,200/1,200

Persian extra fine 11,200/1,200

Persian New 11,200/1,200

Persian Old 11,200/1,200

PASSENGERS.

May 14th.

Per *Thos. from Manila*: Major and Mrs. Day, Lieut. and Mrs. Kead, Mrs. Stein, Mrs. Hinder, Mrs. Mendoza, Misses A. Stein, E. Stein, and Frank (2), Capt. J. J. Stein, Lieut. Conger, Col. E. L. Stein, Lieut. Conger, Messrs. Crane, Sprague, Lieut. Conger, Broderick, Mitchell, Holmes, Wilford and Hagedorn.

Per *Express of India*, for Hongkong, from Vancouver B.C.: Mrs. A. G. Lane, Messrs. J. D. Keeler, Jr., Ed. Osborne and R. L. Davidson, from Nagasaki, Mr. H. W. Shale, from Shanghai, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Green and maid, Miss Johnson, Messrs. T. E. Hough, H. Baker and F. B. Marshall.

Per *Delta*, for Hongkong, from Shanghai, Mr. and Mrs. Stein, Mr. W. M. Anderson, Messrs. R. B. Rhodes and L. Payette, from Kobe, Mr. R. C. Corbett, from Yokohama, for Colombo, Mr. F. I. Lloyd, from Kobe, for Bombay, Mr. W. F. Stratton, from Shanghai, for Penang, Messrs. F. Anderson and L. Kerr, for Bombay, Mr. J. H. Gotter, for Malacca, Mr. W. M. Symonds, for London, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cuff, child and infant, Mrs. Barrett, child, infant and small, and Capt. Le Mare.

Per *Chiyo Maru*, for Hongkong, from San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes, infant and small, Mr. and Mrs. G. Keach, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Malott and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Milton O. Marshall and infant, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Peet, Mr. and Mrs. John B. White, Capt. and Mrs. B. Putnam, Messrs. E. L. Hartigan, Mrs. E. G. Roberts, Miss Edith M. Hayes, Miss Ellen Doe White, Capt. Percy F. Archer, U.S.M.C., Messrs. J. E. Brown, Geo. Frankfort, Preston King, John P. Merrifield, Bert Mercer, Samuel W. Reeves, H. A. Kaidler, S. C. Simms, C. L. Stokes, Robert D. Taylor, S. C. Simms, from Yokohama, Mrs. K. Matsuda, 3 children and servant, Mrs. M. Saunders, Miss R. Bennett and Mr. G. W. Kettnerburg, from Kobe, Mrs. C. C. Lind, Miss J. Lind and Miss Clara Phinney, from Shanghai, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Marshall, Messrs. W. J. Bailey, B. Blumenthal, J. C. P. d'Assumpcao and servant, J. Eiten, Ellis Kadourie and servant, E. Moller and G. Thomas.

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SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, MAY 14TH, 1909.

STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALUE.	PAID UP.	CLOSING QUOTA- TIONS CASH.
Alhambra, Limited	300	Pa. 200	Pa. 200	Nominal
BANKS.—				
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation	120,000	\$125	all	\$950, buyers
National Bank of China, Limited	99,925	\$7	\$6	\$81, buyers
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited ..	8,604	12 1/2	12 1/2	\$10 1/2, buyers
China Borneo Company, Limited	60,000	\$12	\$12	\$12 1/2, sal. & sel.
China Light and Power Company, Limited. {	50,000	\$10	\$10	\$6, sellers
China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd. {	50,000	\$1	\$1	\$4, sal. & sel.
200,000	\$10			
COTTON MILLS.—				
Ewo Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	20,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	Tls. 121
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	125,000	Tls. 75	Tls. 75	Tls. 91
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 112
Lao-Kung-Mow C. Spin. & Weav. Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 100
Boy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Limited ..	2,000	Tls. 500	Tls. 500	Tls. 400
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	40,000	\$7 1/2	\$6	\$16 1/2, sellers
DOCKS AND WHARVES.—				
Hkong & Kowloon Wharf & G. Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$50	all	\$53, buyers
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$50	all	\$70, sellers
New Amoy Dock Co., Limited	10,000	\$50	\$53	\$93, buyers
Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 85
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co., Ltd.	35,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 170
Fenwick & Co., Limited	18,000	\$25	\$25	\$11, sellers
Green Island Cement Co., Limited	400,000	\$10	\$10	\$9 1/2, sellers
Hongkong and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	\$10	all	\$10, buyers
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	60,000	\$10	\$10	\$12 1/2, sal. & buy.
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	12,000	\$25	all	\$71, (old)
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	\$25	all	\$42, (n.) sal. & sel.
Hongkong Milling Co., Ltd. (in Liquidation)	10,000	\$100	\$100	\$155, sellers
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Limited	60,000	\$10	all	Nominal
				\$24, sellers
INSURANCE.—				
Canton Insurance Office Co., Limited ..	10,000	\$250	\$50	\$197 1/2
China Fire Insurance Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	\$20	\$103, buyers
China Traders Insurance Co., Limited ..	24,000	\$83 1/2	\$25	\$85 1/2, buyers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited ..	8,000	\$250	\$50	\$245
North-China Insurance Co., Limited	10,000	\$15	\$5	Tls. 104, buy.
Union Insurance Society, Limited	12,400	\$250	\$100	\$845
Yangtze Insurance Association, Limited ..	12,000	\$100	\$60	\$225
LANDS AND BUILDINGS.—				
Hongkong Land Invest. Agency Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$100	\$100	\$102, buyers
Humphreys, Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.	150,000	\$10	all	\$9, sal. & buy.
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	6,000	\$50	\$30	\$30
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Limited ..	78,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	Tls. 120
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	\$50	\$50	\$44
MINING.—				
Société Française des Charbons du Tonkin	16,000	For. 250	all	\$625, buyers
Rauk Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	\$1	18/10	\$9 1/2, buyers
Peak Tramways Co., Limited	25,000	\$1	all	\$14
Philippines Co., Limited	50,000	\$1	\$1	\$2, sales
	75,000	\$10	\$10	\$8, sellers
REFINERIES.—				
China Sugar Refining Co., Limited	120,000	\$100	all	\$140, buyers
Lazen Sugar Refining Co., Limited	7,000	\$100	all	\$16, sellers
Robinson Piano Co., Limited	4,000	\$50	\$50	\$50, sellers
STEAMSHIP COMPANIES.—				
China and Manila Steamship Co., Ltd.	30,000	\$25	\$25	\$11, sellers
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	\$50	all	\$36
Hongkong, Canton & Macao S.B. Co., Ltd.	80,000	\$15	\$15	\$31, sal. & sel.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$5	all	\$52, sel.
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Limited. {	2,000,000	\$1	\$1	\$8 1/2
Star Ferry Company, Limited	10,000	\$10	\$10	\$26, sal.
South China Mailing Post, Limited	10,000	\$10	\$5	\$15, buy.
Steam Laundry Company, Limited	20,000	\$25	\$25	\$25, sellers
STORES AND DISPENSARIES.—				
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	\$10	all	\$12, sales
Wm. Powell, Limited	15,000	\$7	\$7	\$3, buyers
Watkins, Limited	10,000	\$10	\$10	\$10, sales
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	90,000	\$100	\$100	\$150, buy.
Weissmann, Limited	9,900 only	\$10	\$4	\$23
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited {	100 shares	\$10	\$10	\$120
Union Waterboat Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	\$10	\$10 1/2, sal.

